

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ) CASE NO. CR22-127 JLR  
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Plaintiff, )  
)  
v. ) DETENTION ORDER  
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JOHN MICHAEL SHERWOOD, )  
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)  
Defendant. )

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OFFENSES CHARGED

Count 1 – Conspiracy to Distribute Controlled Substances, including methamphetamine, heroin and fentanyl.

Count 2 – Possession of a Controlled Substance with Intent to Distribute, including methamphetamine and fentanyl.

Count 3 – Conspiracy to Commit Money Laundering

Date of Detention Hearing: December 7, 2022

The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and

01 based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set  
02 forth, finds that no condition or combination of conditions which defendant can meet  
03 will reasonably assure the safety of other persons and the community and defendant's  
04 appearances as required in this case.

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06 FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

07 (1) Defendant and his counsel have stipulated to detention in this case.

08 (2) The nature of the drug charges in this case, and the fact that the Grand Jury has  
09 returned an indictment on those charges, give rise to a rebuttable presumption of  
10 detention. Defendant and his counsel have offered nothing to rebut the presumption.

11 (3) Defendant is currently serving a sentence in Idaho, and has five to ten years  
12 remaining on his sentence. The issue of release or detention in this case is therefore  
13 basically moot.

14 (4) Defendant's criminal record reflects a history of warrants and supervision violations.

15 It is therefore ORDERED:

16 1. Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the  
17 Attorney General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent practicable,  
18 from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal;

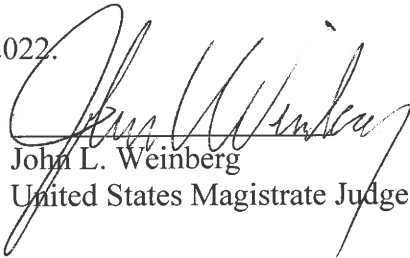
19 2. Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation  
20 with counsel;

21 3. On order of the United States or on request of an attorney for the Government, the  
22 person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is confined shall deliver the

01 defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection with a  
02 court proceeding;

- 03 4. The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to  
04 counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United States  
05 Pretrial Services Officer.

06 DATED this 7th day of December, 2022.

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08 John L. Weinberg  
09 United States Magistrate Judge  
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